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## TELEGRAPHIC TICKINGS.

### Affairs at the National Capital—Miller's Bill.

Conkling and Others Confirmed—Anti-Chinese Movement all Along the Line—The Floods, Etc.

Associated Press Dispatches.]

WASHINGTON, March 2.—The President nominated Cornelius A. Logan, of Illinois, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Chili, and John B. Weaver, of North Carolina, U. S. Consul to Bolivia.

### SENATOR MASON'S TRIAL.

In the Mason Court Martial Colonel Robinson testified to the good character of the prisoner and argument was commenced.

### CONKLING HAS ABOUT CONCLUDED.

Ex-Senator Conkling arrived here last night. His acceptance or rejection of a place upon the Supreme Bench was the object of a protracted conference at the White House, in which Conkling was represented by a friend, who is very conversant with his views. It is learned from an authoritative source that Conkling, before leaving New York, was disposed to decline the appointment. He has now about determined to accept.

### BROTHERHOOD BOSS.

WASHINGTON, March 2.—Senator Hoar's speech on the Chinese bill yesterday was substantially a repetition of the effort by which he endeavored last year to prevent the ratification of the Chinese treaty, its chief staple being the "fatherhood of God and brotherhood of man" idea, and its fundamental argument the dogma that every human being has a right to go anywhere he wants without interference from any government. In short, that our country was intended to be and should be an asylum for all men of all races. There is no reason to believe that his arguments have made any impression that cannot readily be removed before the Senate comes to a vote on the bill, and the Pacific Coast Senators are still entirely confident that it will be passed this week by considerable more than the requisite majority.

### GROVER TAKES HIS TURN.

At 1:40 the Senate resumed the consideration of the Chinese bill. Grover, of Oregon, took the floor in its advocacy.

### CONKLING AND SARGENT CONFIRMED.

The Senate, in Executive Session, confirmed the nominations of ex-Senator Conkling and Sargent.

Sargent's nomination was confirmed unanimously.

### SARGENT DINED.

Sargent, as our new Minister to Berlin, was entertained at a grand dinner this evening by ex-Senator Mitchell. The Cabinet officers, Senators and Representatives and Supreme Justice Field were present.

### CONFIRMATIONS.

The Senate confirmed Roscoe Conkling as Associate Justice of the U. S. Supreme Court, Aaron A. Sargent Minister to Germany, Wm. F. Poston U. S. Attorney for the Western District of Tennessee. The vote on Conkling's confirmation is understood to have been 39 yeas against 12 nays, eight Democrats and four Republicans, namely, Hoar, Dawes, Morrill and Hawley. Sargent's nomination was confirmed without division.

### Endeavoring Mormonism.

DENVER, March 2.—Thos. Mathison, a Mormon of St. George, Utah, arrived here to-day from a trip through Arizona Territory, and reports that his wife and daughter and two Mormon men were killed by Tonto Apaches near Colorado Chiquita, in the San Francisco mountains.

### Confirming Reports.

LONDON, March 1.—The Russo-Jewish Committee has prepared a statement confirming the reports of outrages on the Jews in Russia, including many cases of murder and rape which the recent British Consular reports discredited.

### A Week.

LONDON, March 1.—The Collier has been wrecked off Yarmouth and twenty-three persons drowned.

### Passengers Coming.

FRESNO, March 2.—The following passengers passed Fresno to-night and will arrive in Los Angeles to-morrow morning: Mrs. Dr. Potts, Chicago; Dr. G. E. Harrison, do; Gen. Wm. Fielding, London; J. S. Parks, Cheyenne; R. Dunsmuir, B. C.; H. Donnelly, Oakland; S. Beckwith, N. Y.; Wm. Helman, S. F.; G. Fortune, Wis.; Mrs. Childs and daughter, A. T.; F. P. Morrison, Santa Clara; G. Bray, do; W. P. Morrison, do; J. R. Morrison, Miss; Chas. Christensen, A. R. Flint, C. W. Gibson, J. Murray, D. S. Binkley and wife, S. F.; Y. Kil, Montana; J. Meyers, L. A.; F. Chase, do; F. Newton, Denver; A. Boon, J. Boon, Alameda; J. T. Mitchell, Nevada City.

### The Tramps.

New York, March 2.—The pedestrians at 10 A. M.: Rowell, 388; Sullivan, 348; Hazel, 375; Noremoe, 831; Hughes, 354; Fitzgerald, 358; Hart, 345.

New York, March 2.—The score of the pedestrians at 3 P. M. stood as follows: Hazel, 402 miles; Rowell, 392; Fitzgerald, 381; Sullivan, 371; Hughes, 365; Hart, 366; Merriman, 351.

## THE FLOODS.

### Dealing Devastation, Destruction and Death.

MEMPHIS, March 2.—Private letters from Riverton, Mississippi, 150 miles below Memphis and 170 miles above Vicksburg, say that the levee broke Monday night, and that the loss of property is fearful. By the break in the levee some people were drowned, among the number being Mr. Heyne, shipping clerk for Frank & Reinach. He tried to go to the assistance of Mrs. Bradshaw and was drawn into the channel of the break and drowned. The stock is all drowned and there is no provision for the poor. The break occurred about 100 yards above Duncan's. We have sent to Terrene for the steamer Plowboy to come and take the women and children to Memphis. They are suffering greatly, having lost everything they possessed. The clothing they have on their bodies is the only property they saved. It is impossible to describe the fearful havoc and destruction the waters have made. Horses, cows and goats pass by continually.

### AGAIN RISING.

HELENA, Ark., March 2.—The river from above began rising last night again and will continue. A big break is reported in the levee just below Conesville. People are panic stricken. Four negroes and one white man have been drowned. W. Blackburn, of Laconia Circle, arrived to-day and is now negotiating for a steamer to remove the stock and people from that flooded district. He says many negroes are starving and others are feeding on the putrid carcasses of drowned cattle and such game as can be procured. Whole families are subsisting on half a peck of meal per week. The distress all along the river below is unparalleled. News reached the city yesterday afternoon that the water in the St. Francis river bottoms, or sunk lands, is rising an inch per hour. This, if true, will put us to thinking before the week has passed.

### VICKSBURG, March 2.—The river is rising slowly. Very serious breaks have occurred. A number of people were drowned at Riverton, and there is considerable suffering and loss of life at other points.

### MORE HIGH WATER.

ALBANY, March 2.—The stores along the river front are full of water and the river is still rising. Advice from the north represent the rivers higher than for years, and much damage has been done to bridges and factories. The engine and baggage car of the passenger train on the Ogdensburg and Lake Champlain road ran into a washout, killing James Chambers, engineer, and Henry Petrie, fireman. The express messenger and baggage men were badly injured but no passengers were hurt.

### SAN FRANCISCO BUDGET.

We are Coming, Father Abraham, Forty Thousand Strong.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.—It is reported that forty thousand tickets have been issued at Hong Kong, to be used immediately after the passage of the Chinese bill in the Senate, by Chinese intending to emigrate to the United States.

### TWENTY-FIVE DAYS TIME SAVED.

The General Telegraph Agent of the Central Pacific Railroad has received a dispatch from New Orleans stating that the first shipment of freight from San Francisco to New Orleans via the Southern Pacific Railroad reached its destination on the 27th ult. The shipment consisted of California wines, and was only fourteen and a half days on the road. By the old route of transportation over forty days were required for a shipment of freight to reach that point. A reduction of over twenty-five days' time is thus made by the new road.

### AFTERNOON STOCKS.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 2.—Curry, 34; Mexican, 98; Ophir, 44; Union, 114; Nevada, 74; Eureka, 124; Best, 63; Overman, 50c; Belcher, 35c; Utah, 54; Diablo, 64; Bullion, 85c; Bodie, 4.

### A Railroad Accident.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., March 2.—The west bound passenger train on the Baltimore and Ohio road last night ran upon a stone at the toll gate, throwing all the cars except a sleeper from the track. The engine ran into the store of Geo. W. James. The store and train, except the sleeper, was burned. John Giggley and John Bremen, engineer and fireman, were instantly killed. The mail and express matter was mostly saved.

### Mysterious Sickness.

MARLBOROUGH, N. H., March 2.—On Tuesday all the help in the card room of the Monadnock Blanket Mills were taken suddenly with vomiting. A new set of hands was put in and they were taken sick, and the help in the other rooms was soon taken in the same way. By Wednesday nearly the whole force was out sick, and by noon so many were ill that the mill was shut down. The cause of the sickness is a mystery, but it is probably something in the rags.

### Murderous Weather.

CHICAGO, March 2.—Orville B. Roe, of LaSalle, Ill., an idle, drunken carpenter, shot his wife because she refused longer to support him, and then killed himself. Five children were found clinging to the woman's body as she lay upon the floor.

## A DISCIPLE OF GUITEAU.

### Attempted Assassination of Queen Victoria

A Railway Station Selected as the Place—The Queen Captured and Locked Up—No One Hurt.

Associated Press Dispatches.]

LONDON, March 1.—6:30 P. M.—Queen Victoria was fired at while at the Windsor railroad station to-day. She escaped unhurt. The man, who was a miserable looking object, was immediately seized by several policemen and taken to the Windsor police station. No one was hurt.

### THE MISCRAKE.

Who fired at the Queen gives his name as Roderick McLean. He was with difficulty rescued from the crowd. The Queen arrived at Windsor about 5:25. She gave a drawing-room levee on Wednesday in honor of Princess Helena of Wodeck, who is to marry Prince Leopold. A great crowd assembled at Buckingham Palace this morning, in hopes to see the Queen drive out. The demeanor of the people was cordial as usual.

### GREAT EXCITEMENT.

LONDON, March 2.—7:30 P. M.—The Queen drove off to the Castle immediately after she was fired at. The miscra was followed to the police station by a large crowd of people. The news-hawkers are now crying the news on the streets. It caused great excitement.

There was a large crowd of spectators awaiting the Queen's arrival at the station to escort her to the carriage which was in waiting to take her to the Castle. John Brown had already ascended to a seat behind the carriage, when a man standing at the entrance to the station yard among the spectators,

### POINTED A PISTOL.

At the carriage and fired. To judge from the report the pistol was not heavily loaded. The Queen, who was probably not aware what had happened, was immediately driven to the Castle, but before she passed, the man had been seized by the Superintendent of the Borough Police who was standing nearby. He was also

### VIOLENTLY SEIZED.

By the crowd and only rescued when three or four policemen came to the Superintendent's assistance. The pistol was captured by one of the crowd. MacLean, who was miserably clad was taken into High street, and thence conveyed to the police station in a cab.

As soon as the Queen returned to the Castle she ordered the Esquerry to proceed to the depot to inquire if any one had been hurt. The report of the pistol was sharp but not loud. MacLean apparently intended firing again, when the pistol, which seemed to be a new one, was knocked from his hand by a bystander and handed to the police. Elton scholars were prominent in the attempt to lynch MacLean. Fanny, the Queen's Secretary, proceeded to the police station and after obtaining all the information possible, telegraphed to Gladstone the facts of the assault. It is understood that the Queen has not sustained any shock. MacLean is said to be an inhabitant of the South Sea. The general opinion that the act was the result of lunacy.

### THE TRAITOROUS REBS.

The Preparations for Their Execution Completed.

FORT GRANT, March 2.—All necessary preparations have been completed for the execution of the Indian scouts, Deadshot, Dandy Jim and Skippy, the murderers of Capt. Hentig and six soldiers of the Sixth Cavalry, at Cibola Creek last August, and to-morrow they will expiate their crimes on the gallows. The prisoners were interviewed to-day by the Post Commander and Chaplain Mitchell, through an interpreter, and were advised of to-morrow being their last day on earth. They appeared to be reconciled to their fate, and said that as it could not be avoided the sooner they would go the better. Dandy Jim is the only one upon whom the sentence has had a dampening influence. He is young and robust and consequently

### DREADS THE FATE.

In store. The gallows, which had been constructed at some distance from where the prisoners are confined, was placed to-day nearer, and as the prisoners looked through the iron bars it loomed up before them in all its horror. After seeing it Dandy Jim declined to partake of any food, but Deadshot and Skippy made light of it by laughing and mimicking the manner in which they should die by the rope. They have no fears of the hereafter and say their hands are clean, meaning that if nothing can be done for them in this life they are ready to die. Every precaution has been taken to carefully guard them. Two troops of cavalry have arrived here as additional force in the event of any disturbance. The execution will be conducted with as little demonstration as possible. Particulars to-morrow.

### Life Shooting.

EUREKA, Mar. 2.—O. J. Lansing, a leading attorney of this place, shot and killed his wife about 7:30 o'clock this evening. Lansing then walked to jail and gave himself up to the Sheriff, saying he had shot his wife, but declined to make further statement. De-

ceased was shot a little above the right eye, the ball passing through the brain causing death almost instantaneously.

### A Texas Mystery.

GALVESTON, Tex., March 2.—A News Navazota special says: A storm on Monday night did material damage in this neighborhood, uprooting trees, blowing down fences and some houses. Two large gin houses near the town were demolished. A tree fell on the house of a freedman named Andy Williamson, killing his child and crippling an old woman.

### Bradlaugh vs. Corbett.

LONDON, March 2.—In the Parliamentary election at Northampton to-day Bradlaugh received 3,798 votes and Corbett 3,687.

### Who Can Estimate the Grief?

GLoucester, Mass., March 2.—The loss of the four fishing schooners makes twenty-two widows and sixty-two orphans.

Colonel Higginson can be sarcastic in a neat way. Concerning the un-American snobbery of Henry James Jr., the colonel says James is not a true cosmopolitan, "since the true cosmopolitan is at home even in his own country."

### MISCELLANEOUS.

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The Times can also be found at the news-stands of the Palace and Occidental Hotels and Russ, Spence, & Co., San Francisco.

## MORE TELEGRAPH LINES.

The appearance on this coast of the James Gamble, Esq., formerly Superintendent of the Western Union Company and now General Manager of the Mutual Union Company, encourages the supposition that San Francisco at least will soon enjoy a competition in telegraphic service. Whether the competing wires will be brought down the coast is not yet announced, but that they will cross the continent, is now positively asserted, but we presume if suitable encouragement in the way of offered business is given we could here enjoy what advantages could be obtained from competition. But we learn Mr. Gamble's company east, so far as they have come in competition with the Western Union, has not reduced rates, but adopts the same tariff as the old company. Should the same policy obtain here, the public would not be likely to rush frantically to the arms of the new company, for it is lower rates that we want. The Bulletin reports Mr. Gamble as saying that the new company has gone into the business as an investment, and not with the view of running an opposition. His company expects to do as much with an investment of \$10,000,000 as the Western Union does with its \$80,000,000 of capital, and that the growth of the business requires more workers and wires, and that it will be a profitable business for all. Within about a year Mr. Gamble thinks he will have three wires across the continent, his company being now working to Kansas City, Mo. If the Bulletin correctly reports Mr. Gamble, and if his company is not a bull and bear affair, the public will warmly welcome it; otherwise not.

## ABOUT STAMPS.

To write a letter well and give it such a send-off as will ensure its reaching its destination something more is necessary than dotting 'i's and crossing the 't's. You must put a stamp on it and be sure that it adheres well. There is an old yarn about the resemblance between stamps and school-boys—you must lick them well to make them stick to their letters! And there is another resemblance that is to the point of this allusion of ours to stamps—if you lick the stamp too much you destroy its adhesion, and herein they are like some boys who, when whipped too much, get sulky and "buck." And we are reminded of a down-east anecdote bearing upon the stamp question. When these convenient little contrivances for paying postage were first introduced their manufacture was faulty, the gumming was poorly done, and they were continually coming off the letters. A wit who had suffered from the poor stamp nuisance, to assure his r. m. that he had endeavored to comply with the law, wrote below the stamp—"Paid if the plaguey thing sticks!" Now, all the foregoing is a mere prelude to the statement of our postmaster, that he is obliged to send to the Dead Letter office at least forty-five letters per week for the want of stamps to send them to their destination. An average of five per week are sent to the same place for the want of any address. Here then is an average of fifty letters per week which do not reach their destination, and the Postmaster and the Department are berated for the loss of letters which never reach through the carelessness of senders.

The Slickens business is bearing fruit, and the direct result is the driving away of some of the best citizens of the sections which are subjected to the evil. A Wheatland dispatch of yesterday says: W. B. and D. Rodden and family, accompanied by P. B. Lotton, U. Cripps, John Steinman and some ten other parties, started this morning for Texas. They owned considerable land on Bear River, but owing to the slickens coming down so fast they are emigrating. The parties which left to-day include some of the most influential and wealthiest men of this section.

The report comes over the wires that unless the condition of Russia improves the czar will abdicate after his coronation. We do not credit the report. The man who does not know enough to reform the abuses of his government and make it possible for his subjects to live under that government, but continues to ride rough-shod over them, has not the good sense to abdicate until a bomb placed in a handy position compels it.

The floods of 1882 will pass into history as the greatest ever known. The extent of the devastation along the lower Mississippi and the Ohio rivers is unparalleled, and the damage is hardly to be estimated. Life and property have suffered terribly and it is now in order for the government to give that

people protection by constructing levees that will prevent the recurrence of such visitations in the future.

The new gas company of Chicago is not allowed to charge to exceed \$1.75 per 1,000 cubic feet of gas, and where a customer uses 100,000 cubic feet a rebate of 25 cents per 1,000 is required.

In Los Angeles the price of gas is 4.50. But comparisons are "odorous," especially in the vicinity of the gas works.

GUZEAU'S CRANK SISTER says that Conkling is responsible for the murder of Garfield and the sentence passed on her "poor crazy brother," and she has written a letter to the Senate requesting that his nomination be not confirmed.

The Chinese are taking advantage of the situation and it is reported that 40,000 tickets have been issued to them at Hong Kong, to be used in case of the passage of the Chinese bill in Congress.

An unusually interesting batch of news will be found in our telegraphic columns this morning.

## THE CRACKER FACTORY.

A Letter from the Party—What he Proposes to do.

It will be remembered that a few weeks since the Times made mention of a gentleman who was making inquiries as to the feasibility of the project of starting a cracker factory in this city. The mail yesterday brought the following note from the gentleman, which, though a private letter, we deem it not imprudent to publish:

ROBINSON, KANSAS, Feb. 23, 1882.

EDITOR DAILY TIMES: Your card from J. M. Davies and copy of Times at hand; am very much obliged for the interest you manifest; the offer you suggest would certainly be of material advantage, and an inducement we shall start a cracker factory at some point and prefer Los Angeles for some reasons and while there are drawbacks there are also advantages. Thinly settled surroundings and the high price of coal is against it, while cheap flour and distance from other factories are advantageous to Los Angeles. Land and syrup are higher, too, than in the east. We propose to put in the latest and best machinery for manufacturing all classes of crackers, jumbles, drop cakes and snaps, equal in quality to the best factory with steam or gas engine for driving the machinery etc. The machinery is quite expensive and the outlay is of course hazardous as any new one in an untried section. The capacity per day of ten hours is twenty-five barrels of flour into crackers, equal to 5,300 pounds of crackers per day, costing for flour, lard, syrup, soda, etc., \$125 to \$150 per day. Of course if the trade demanded it, could increase the supply.

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We are figuring on freights, etc. Good points for factories also are Pueblo, Col., and Butte City, Montana.

Write all about the size, shape, height, age, condition, location and distance from railroad stations and flour mills, of the building you suggest securing for the factory, etc. As before stated, that would certainly be an inducement. We would have to build our oven, which takes 20,000 to 25,000 bricks, is the reason for knowing all about the building.

Write soon as convenient.

Yours truly, L. C. PARKER.

## THE SUPERIOR COURTS.

JUDGE HOWARD'S COURT.

M. J. O'Connor vs L. Fogle—Cause, ejectment, ordered that defendant have thirty days to add to statutory time to prepare and serve amendments to plaintiff's proposed statement on motion for a new trial.

Flahe by guardian ad litem vs Celis Flahe et al—Cause, action on guardian's bond.

Matter of the contempt of Paul Kern—Dismissed. Motion by defense to dismiss attachment submitted and taken under advisement.

Estate of L. L. Yorba, deceased—B. A. Yorba appointed guardian on giving bond of \$500.

Malachowitz vs Malachowitz—Ordered that defendant have ten days further time to answer.

M. Morris vs his creditors—Final discharge of insolvent granted.

## THE NYMENIAL YOKE.

A Very Dull Market for the Month Just Closed.

Following are the marriage licenses placed on record by the County Recorder for the month of February, 1882. Compared with the last month it shows a decrease of five, and compared with the corresponding month of the previous year a decrease of one. This is not a flattering showing for our young men—or young ladies—or both, and we hope the market will be more lively the present month: Ygnacio Aenna and Refugia Rio; Wm Biesemer and Sophie Gallwas; S. P. Larsen and J. Z. Hoppstadler; J. McCrystle and E. Wilkinson; Chas. J. O'Connell and Elizabeth Tiney; A. H. Bishop and Annie Kennedy; John O. Munger and Mary I. Perry; E. O. Hargrave and Nina Allen; Jose Maria Fuentes and B. Fabragat; John Phillips and Dora Linberg; M. Ford and Rose O'Connor; Chas. Hurd and Josephine Armstrong; J. J. Woodworth and Fannie G. Fox; Hiram Dillon and Bertie Cummings; J. H. Butler and Ida M. Merrill; Ramon J. Soto and Victoria Bridger.

## Marine Intelligence.

Arrived at San Pedro March 1, 1882: American bark Jennie Harkness, E. J. Amesbury, Master; 154 days from Liverpool with coal consigned to S. P. B. R. Co. Cleared—Ship Belvidere, Jordan, Master, in ballast to Nantamo for coal.

## INSANE.

An Old Man Goes Crazy and Becomes Belligerent.

J. M. Vicker, who lives near Constable Lockwood in the vicinity of the woolen mills, began to act strangely yesterday afternoon. Dr. Cochran was called in and soon discovered that the man was insane, as he, showed fight and wanted to clean out everybody in sight. He got the Doctor in his clutches and left a few bruises on him. Lockwood came in about this time and got the upper hand of the madman. Vicker is an American, about fifty years of age, and a harness maker by trade. He has been a quiet citizen up to this time and has never shown any signs of insanity before. He is now at the city prison.

## MINNIE'S LUCK.

The Last Night of the Wallace Sisters.

The second performance of the Wallace Sisters at Turnverein Hall was a success in every way. They produced "Minnie's Luck," or "The Ups and Downs of New York Life," in a very realistic style. The play is a lively one, full of sparkle and incident, and was highly appreciated by the large and fashionable audience. The sisters have become favorites already in this city, and would draw large houses for a week. They play to-night at Santa Ana.

## Passengers for San Francisco

Steamer Ancon sailed for San Francisco from Wilmington yesterday with the following named passengers: Rev S K Russell and wife, J. W. Davis, Jr., W. J. Francis, P. Northrup, Mrs. E. Sharkey, Mrs. M. M. Brown and child, S. H. Russell, F. M. Larkid, Rev G. W. Read, B. F. Seabury, Mrs. S. P. Anderson, Jos Taylor, T. A. Flower, W. S. Daly, C. G. Meyer, E. E. Daly, T. H. Richards, D. Vittorio, R. B. Millican, Miss A. B. Huse, P. R. Persons, H. Burgess, H. D. McCulloch, C. P. Hazeldine, F. C. Brunck, M. Hawley and wife.

## A WILL.

The will of Chas. B. Balch was filed in the County Clerk's office yesterday for probate. He wills to his father, Jos. W. Balch, one half of his property, real and personal. To his sister, A. G. Balch, one-half. His brother, G. H. Balch, is appointed executor without bond and will power to sell at private or public sale.

Judge Adams only had two drunks before him yesterday morning. He gave them nine days each in the chain gang.

## Various Causes.

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## Real Estate Transfers.

[Reported by Judson, Gillette & Gibson.]

THURSDAY, March 2.

Domingo Rivera and Ambrosio Vignolo to City of Los Angeles, land for extension of Los Angeles and Fifth streets, \$1.

Estate of Ygnacio Belderrain and Arturo Belderrain to Francisco Lopez de Belderrain, lot 1, side Los Angeles street, \$3,500.

Estate of Ygnacio Belderrain and Arturo Belderrain, order confirming above sale.

Francisco Lopez Belderrain to Jose Mascarell, same as last foregoing, \$4,200.

Mary E. Forrest to A. R. Loomis and S. C. Hubbard, lot 16, blk 3, East Los Angeles, \$20.

E. H. Plummer to St. M. Plummer, lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, in w 1/2 Sec 23, T 1 S, R 14 W, other considerations and \$1.

Calvin Bartwell to Franklin P. Peterson, 24.13 acres on Colorado street extension E. of lands of Lake Vineyard Land and Water Association, \$725.00.

Antonio Cheriotto to Giovanni Buratti and Luigi Tachella, lots 9 and 10, blk F, Aliso tract, \$150.

Wm. T. Cunningham and Melissa J. his wife, to Victor Montgomery, 15 acres in w 1/2 Sec 6 of n 1/2 w 1/2 Sec 4, T 1 S, R 14 W, \$100.

Estate of John Collins Brown to Joseph Brown, decree of distribution of all property of estate, \$2,500.

F. W. Hafner to Jacob Kuhns, lots 4, 5, 6, 8 and 10, blk 27, East Los Angeles, \$365.

Antonio J. Coronado and Dominga Amestoy to John Kiefer, lot 1, corner Arcadia and Sanchez streets, \$2,500.

S. S. Anderson to G. D. Anderson, 82 acres in lot R, Santa Gertrudes and all community property, \$1,500.

M. D. Crawford and A. C. his wife, to G. D. Anderson, 82 acres in lot R, Santa Gertrudes, to correct former conveyance.

Antonio J. Coronado to John Kiefer, n 1/2 w 1/2 Sec 8, and lot 2, Sec 5, T 2 S, R 13 W.

L. B. Goodrich to N. W. Stowell, 110 acres in n 1/2 w 1/2 Sec 36, T 1 S, R 14 W, \$250.

N. W. Stowell to Walter F. Cushing, lot 1, Sec 1, T 1 S, R 9 W, \$35.

Homer Kent to James McFadden, 40 acres in Rio Santiago de Santa Ana, \$3,000.

J. H. Wood to James McFadden and Robert McFadden, 40 acres in Rio Santiago de Santa Ana, \$2,000.

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Notice of Publication of Time for Proving Will, Etc.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, County of Los Angeles, ss.

In the matter of the estate of Chas. B. Balch, deceased.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER of this Court, made this day, notice is hereby given that Monday, the 13th day of March, 1882, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the court room of this Court, in the county of Los Angeles, has been appointed for hearing the application of George C. Hagar, praying that a document now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of Chas. B. Balch, deceased, be admitted to probate, and that letters of administration, with the will annexed, be issued thereon to said George C. Hagar, at which time and place all persons interested therein may appear and contest the same.

Dated March 2, 1882.

A. W. POTTS, County Clerk.

By A. RIMPAU, Deputy.

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1.—Overture by the Orchestra.

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3.—Italian Melody. By Signor ANTONIOLI.

4.—Grand Air de l'Opera "Giulietta e Romeo." By Signora GEMMA TIOZZO.

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5.—Duet. "Boat Song." Blumenthal By Mme. Marra and Mile Peachey.

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## LOS ANGELES DAILY TIMES.

## ABOUT TOWN.

"La Esperanza" is now stocked to its utmost capacity with goods. Call and see.

The rain last night was a false alarm—couldn't quite make it, though it drizzled for an hour or two.

Ground was broken yesterday for the buildings to be erected in the San Gabriel district for the Union Manufacturing Company—J. DeBarth, Shorb and others.

J. P. and B. M. Widney have purchased the 82 feet front lot on First street, between Main and Spring, of L. Lichtenberger for \$7,000. It is now occupied by Dr. Seymour.

Three car loads of Chinamen arrived at Mohave from San Francisco two days ago to work on the California branch of the Atlantic & Pacific road from Mohave to the Colorado river.

Complaints are made that the new grade of Olive street, between Third and Fifth streets, should have a more gradual curve and that the highest altitude could be reduced from two to three feet with advantage.

W. B. Tullis, the watchmaker and jeweler has received a very large consignment of clocks of all sizes and prices. He keeps a full stock of watches, jewelry, etc., constantly on hand which will well repay inspection. See card in "New To-day."

Architects and builders report that contracts for new buildings are being made daily, the absence of all hesitation being especially noticeable as compared with the distrust and delay of a month ago. Real estate investments will pay well for the present year.

The Greenbaum property, on Main street, has been purchased by the Eagle Corps for the purpose of building an armory thereon 75 feet wide and about 160 feet deep, the front part to be two stories high, of brick, with reading room, dressing rooms, etc., on the second floor.

Deep mutterings and loud growlings are to be heard constantly along the streets by unfortunate travelers who have their vehicles caught by the abominable street car tracks. The tracks should be plankled or the companies compelled to substitute the rails used in other cities in place of those now in use.

Word has been received in this city that Mr. Henry Hoover, one of the projectors of the Macintosh Colony, who was seriously ill while here, and who returned home in charge of Mr. B. M. Baker, arrived at home in a very critical condition, and no hopes are entertained of his recovery.

So many of Mr. Bright's friends ask him if he is selling out to leave, that he wished it said that he is not closing out with that view, but only selling at cost to reduce his stock. He will be in the city before going to New York. If you will call before that time he will convince you that he is telling the truth.

G. W. Robbins & Co. are now manufacturing mattresses, lounges and easy chairs at prices, workmanship considered, that defy competition. The Robbins' patent spring bed should be in every family. It is durable, comfortable and cheaper than any other spring bed in the market. See advertisement on front page.

George Febré, a young German resident of this city, died at the Sisters' Hospital on Wednesday night. He caught a cold when in San Bernardino county some time ago, which resulted in consumption. He received every necessary assistance from the Turnverein Society and other friends. The body was interred at 3 p. m. yesterday.

Mr. J. F. Cook, of Compton, visited the TIMES office yesterday, and his face was all aglow with radiance of hope, which represented the feelings of the people at that enterprising little villa since the late rain. He said that the alfalfa had started to growing finely; that the dairying interests were very much revived, and that the Anchor Chain and other concerns, which had been in a state of business, which is destined to increase in magnitude and still be a great financial help to that section of country.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Friend Willing of the police force was the willing recipient of a girl baby at his house on Wednesday. That accounts for the serene smile that pervaded his countenance while on duty yesterday—it was a "childlike and bland."

Mr. H. W. Scott, editor of the only real live newspaper in the State of Oregon, the Oregonian, of Portland, is in the city. His wife and family accompany him, and the object sought is to benefit Mrs. Scott's health.

Thomas Goss, the brick manufacturer, returned on Wednesday from an extended visit to San Francisco and other points in the northern part of the State. He thinks Los Angeles is good enough for him after all.

Judge J. D. Walker, of the Owl Head mining district of Arizona, is at the U. S. Hotel. The Judge is one of the oldest locators in that rich district, and is now owner of the celebrated Wikol mine.

M. W. Cobb and C. H. Montague, comprising the firm of M. W. Cobb & Co., of San Francisco, manufacturers of the celebrated patent enamel carriage—topdressing—are in the city for a few days.

E. T. Wright, the County Surveyor, reports that the Craig tract, Pasadena, is rapidly being taken up by actual settlers. There has been a marked advance in the price of property there lately.

W. H. Riggs, one of the recent newcomers from Kansas, has been seriously afflicted during the past week with an attack of quincy.

Miss Julia Harold, sister-in-law of Mr. A. G. Doan, is lying very ill at his residence, 131 Fort street, with inflammatory rheumatism.

Thomas Berry, a son of John Berry, the oldest livery stable man in San Jose, is in town looking around for a place to start a livery stable.

J. Livingston of Ontario, Canada, agent for Draper's merchant tailoring establishment is registered at the Pico House.

G. G. Douglas, a retired merchant of Philadelphia, is in town seeking to benefit his health. He is at the Pico House.

S. W. Rosenstock, of S. W. Rosenstock & Co., wholesale boot and shoe merchants of San Francisco, is in the city.

Mrs. Anna M. L. Potts is among the overland passengers to arrive from San Francisco this morning.

C. W. Gibson, of the American Cash Store, will arrive from San Francisco overland, this morning.

S. Kohn, who represents Frankenthal, Bachman & Co. of San Francisco, is visiting Los Angeles.

Wm. Dwyer, advance agent for a panorama, is in town. He is staying at the Pico House.

J. M. Clark, one of Westminster's popular citizens, was in town yesterday.

A. Guy Smith, the lumber dealer of Anaheim, was in town yesterday.

C. W. Pike of Pike & Co., San Francisco, is at the Pico House.

## LETTERS.

## The Postoffice of this City Compared to Others in the State.

The Rapid Growth of this City Within the Past Six Months—The Handling of Letters, Etc.

Many persons, and especially ladies, think that when a letter is written and placed in the drop-box at the post office, the work is over and all that has to be done is for the postmaster to cancel the stamp, place it in a mail sack and send it to the post office to where it is directed. It seems simple enough to those who are not acquainted with the working of a large post office. But few of the citizens of this city have an idea of the growth of the postal business here within the past six months. Within this time the mail matter has more than doubled in volume, and now, instead of sending out from two to three thousand letters a day, from six to

SEVEN THOUSAND go out, not including the news papers and other matter. To the unthinking this would not seem strange. But when it is investigated it will be seen that the city is growing more rapidly than any place in the State, and is in a more prosperous condition than any of them, even those of twice or three times the size. When it is said that the post office here—in a city of about sixteen thousand inhabitants, paid into the Treasury at Washington last year, two thousand dollars more than the office at Oakland, a city of over forty-thousand inhabitants, but few will believe

And others will ask, "What is the reason?" The question is easily answered: Oakland is a residence city, and but little business is carried on there, while Los Angeles is full of life, business and prosperity. Everybody feels happy and contented, and it is a well-known fact that people have to be in a good humor to write letters, whether they be letters of business or letters touching on the romantic. This is the principal reason, but there is one other: Business is growing rapidly, and the bulk of the increase in the business letters. It is a well

KNOWN FACT To the postal agents who have the handling of the matter after it leaves the post office at the Los Angeles office is doing more business than any office in the State outside of San Francisco. They have a better opportunity of judging than anyone else, as they have to count every letter coming from every office on their routes. But to return to the subject in hand. When ladies drop their letters in the post office they never stop to think of the amount of work that has to be done before the letter is ready for the postal agent. They are taken from the

Placed on a large table where the clerks can sort them, and place the local in one pile, the eastern and western, or San Francisco mail in others. When the work begins every letter has to be stamped, and generally the time is very short, for mail must be kept open until the last minute. This is done very rapidly and an efficient clerk will stamp several thousand letters in an hour. He stamps the letters of several hundred letters in front of him and works them off so fast that a person can hardly see the hand going from letter to letter. The letters are then placed in the

MAIL POUCHES, Locked and handed over to the postal agent at the depot, who takes charge and has to sort the letters all over again. At the end of his route they are passed on to another and so on until the destination of the letter is reached, when they are all handed again. It will be seen from this that the writing of the letter is but a small part of the work that has to be done through before the letter is ready to be read.

## JOHN MUST GO.

Mass Meetings of the Democratic and Republican parties yesterday.

THE FOLLOWING LETTER WAS RECEIVED BY THE County Committee of the Democratic and Republican parties yesterday:

GENTLEMEN:—In view of the importance of the prompt adoption of the bill now before Congress, restricting Chinese immigration, it has been determined to hold a monster mass meeting of the citizens of San Francisco at 2 o'clock p. m., on Saturday next, when the merchants and business men of the city will be requested to close their places of business and attend.

The meeting will be entirely non-partisan and intended only to give a mighty expression to the unanimous wish of the people, that the evil of Chinese immigration should cease; the arrangements for holding the meeting have been begun, and are being carried on under the auspices of the local representatives of the two political parties.

We would, therefore, earnestly request you and your respective committees to hold (jointly) a similar meeting in your county at the same time, and that while it is in progress you send telegrams to that effect to us here, and to Senators Farley and Miller, in Washington, so that the voice of our whole State may go forth at once in tones to be heard in the national halls of legislation, and in a manner to carry conviction to the minds of all that we are a unit. Signed—Wm. D. English, Chairman Democratic County Committee; W. W. Morrow, Chairman Republican County Committee; John T. Cutting, Chairman Democratic County Committee; John T. Mayer, Jr., Chairman Democratic County Committee; C. Hilderbrandt and J. T. Fogarty, Secretaries.

Looking Up His Interests.

Col. J. U. Crawford, well known as the engineer and superintendent of construction of the Santa Monica road, was in town yesterday and leaves this morning for Huemene, via Newhall. The colonel looks as if time and circumstances have dealt kindly with him, and rejoicing in his prosperity, we are glad to note that it has not changed the manners of the man or cooled the cordiality of his greetings. Col. Crawford accompanies a son of the late Col. Scott, who is on the Pacific Coast to look after the lands and other interests which have reverted to him by the death of his father.

Disappeared.

A quiet, orderly gentleman named Newman, a newcomer, boarding at Hutchings' boarding house near the new depot, has mysteriously disappeared. He was last seen about two o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, and having paid his board in advance, and left his clothes and other property at the boarding house without specifying his intention of remaining away any length of time it is feared that some serious mishap has befallen him.

Another Accident.

Still another railroad accident occurred early yesterday morning at Whitewater, about thirty miles east of San Geronimo Pass. The emigrant train going east broke in two, the rear end soon running into the front portion and smashing things up generally, but hurting no one. A wrecking train left here at 9 a. m. for the scene of the disaster.

L. Peiser & Co. are adding twenty feet to the depth of their store, which improves the appearance materially.

## NEWPORT NEWS.

## Two Horses and a Portion of a Week, come Ashore.

Mr. Gilbert Lynch informs me that two large horses and some pieces of a boat of some kind washed ashore near the mouth of Newport harbor. The horses had almost new shoes on. Has there been a wreck?

Miss Nora Mooser started to Illinois on Tuesday the 28th inst., on a visit to see her sister, Mrs. Avas. She will be gone four or five months. She went by the Southern route.

The new school house will be completed Friday, the 3d inst., and school will commence Monday the 6th, with Mr. Calvin Lindsey as Principal, and Miss Lida Stormford as Assistant.

It commenced raining last Saturday evening and continued part of Sunday, being the best rain of the season. We are now sure of a good crop of barley and early sown grain which has been on a stand still owing to the cold nights is now growing rapidly, the weather being quite warm.

The sand-hill cranes are very numerous, there being acres of them in the grain fields doing great damage to the wheat and barley.

Owing to the late rains there will be a great many apple, pear, peach and other fruit trees put out in this neighborhood this year.

DEATH'S VISITATION.

Mrs. Lewellyn Bixby Called to Her Long Home.

It is with the deepest feelings of regret that we record the death of Mrs. Lewellyn Bixby, at the family home on Hill street, which occurred yesterday morning. Her illness has been short, and the news falls upon her friends and neighbors like an avalanche of sorrow. Two little girls and an almost baby boy are left with the husband to mourn the untimely bereavement, as also several sisters and an aged father, Rev. George W. Hathaway. The wives of Messrs. Jotham and George Bixby are her sisters. Everything that affection or human ingenuity could suggest was done to save her life, but nothing availed. The old family physician was telegraphed for as a last and vain resort, and only reached the bedside half an hour before death claimed its victim. Mrs. Bixby's death is a loss to the city. She was identified with a number of charities, was a good neighbor, was active in ministering to the sick, and it is thought, contracted the disease which caused her death—typhoid fever—while relieving the wants of a young sewing girl who was here sick and alone. The funeral will take place at two o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Another Manufacturing Enterprise.

Messrs. Z. T. Snyder, C. S. Walker, and J. H. West have formed a co-partnership in this city for the manufacture of the celebrated climatic and fireproof paint which has been in general use for many years in the Eastern States. As all are aware the climate of California is peculiarly hard on white lead paints, requiring new coats every two or three years. The principal reason for this lies in the fact that the long, dry summer weather dissipates the oil on which the adhesiveness of the paint depends. The special merits claimed for this paint are its durability, hardness and cheapness. Many reliable testimonials from all parts of the east are presented which attest its merits, showing conclusively that paint applied to the exterior of houses twenty years ago is now as good as ever. No "rubber" is used in its composition, and it is non-inflammable and resists alkali, water and fire. Another peculiar feature is its imperviousness to all attempts at scratching or otherwise defacing it. The company have purchased for several thousand dollars the sole right to manufacture and sell the paint in Los Angeles, San Bernardino, San Diego, Santa Barbara, Ventura and Inyo counties. They have located temporarily at 108 Spring street in the rear of the L. L. Bath's establishment. They expect the necessary machinery with which to operate in a few days and will then commence with the manufacture of about one hundred gallons per day, increasing gradually, however, to 500 gallons per day the full capacity of their machinery. Orders are already coming in rapidly, and it is to be hoped that the people of this city and of Southern California generally will extend to it their warmest support and thus assist in the up-building of home industries. They will also handle Cobb's patent enamel carriage-top dressing, which has earned a good reputation wherever used, on account of its non-cracking and preserving qualities. It is manufactured in San Francisco.

A Charge Disproved.

A few days since three young men were arrested at the depot at the instance of a Mexican, charged with robbery. The case came up for trial yesterday, when it was proven that no robbery had occurred. As the TIMES published the charge we also publish the following card from the Deputy District Attorney:

Los Angeles, March 2d, 1882.

To Wm. W. Whitley, J. G. McMaster and Wm. Weaver, were arrested on the 28th day of February, 1882, charged with robbery. I fully investigated the matter and found there was no foundation for the charge.

JOHN C. MORRAN, Deputy Dist. Atty.

O'Connor Gone.

The Hon. T. P. O'Connor has been doing Los Angeles and vicinity for the past few days and expresses himself more than pleased, not only with the beautiful orange groves, glorious climate, etc., but with the warm reception extended to him by the citizens of Los Angeles. He left on the San Francisco train last night for Sacramento, where he will lecture on the land question this evening.

Another Accident.

Still another railroad accident occurred early yesterday morning at Whitewater, about thirty miles east of San Geronimo Pass. The emigrant train going east broke in two, the rear end soon running into the front portion and smashing things up generally, but hurting no one. A wrecking train left here at 9 a. m. for the scene of the disaster.

L. Peiser & Co. are adding twenty feet to the depth of their store, which improves the appearance materially.

## AN OLD TIMER.

## A Life Insurance Agent Tells a Story.

A Bloody Battle Fought Years Ago Between Pikes and Whites at Strawberry Valley.

For several days past an old California pioneer, who has seen much of life in the far west, has been in the city. His name is L. P. F. Waller and he is well known to not only the most prominent men in the United States, having not only letters of introduction from General Grant and General Garfield, but has letters from some of the most prominent men of England. Mr. Wallace is special agent for the Equitable Life Insurance Company of New York. He has traveled

ALL OVER THE WORLD, And is undoubtedly one of the best posted men in the United States. Learning that he was at the Pico House, a TIMES reporter called upon him last night and asked a few questions about life in early days.

"I think," said Mr. Waller, "that the liveliest time I ever had was in 1869. I was then just in the prime of life and was ready for any kind of fun. I was mining near Virginia City. The Plute Indians were very bad and had

KILLED A NUMBER Of emigrants. The troops stationed there could do nothing with them and some of the miners concluded to get up a band of determined fellows and put a stop to their lawless depredations. Eighty-one men were organized under Captain Meredith. They were all well armed and determined fellows and started out feeling that we would clear out the red devils on short notice. We started for the seat of war one bright morning amid the cries and tears of the wives and daughters of our brave little band. But, alas, it was

A BAD DAY When I returned to the camp from which we started. After having been out three days we came upon the Indians near the line in a small plain called Strawberry Valley. The Indians seemed to swarm upon us from all sides. They were led by two notorious whites, by the name of Johnson. They had been with the Plutes for a number of years and were considered the coldest blooded scoundrels who ever headed the red devils. The fight lasted about three hours and out of the eighty-one only

TWO WERE LEFT ALIVE. A young man named George Bale, a son of Judge Bale of Virginia City. He was shot four times in the body and left for dead. I received six bullets and knew nothing for two days. We were finally picked up by some emigrants and taken to an old hunter's, where we had our wounds dressed. This was one of the hardest fights that ever happened in that part of the country.

Mr. Waller's fall of old pioneer stories. He was one of the first locators on gold Hill, and was considered at one time the wealthiest mine owner in the State.

AT THE HOTELS.

COSMOPOLITAN HOTEL.

Will Hamilton, Denver; J. Vosburg, Seneca Falls, N. Y.; F. W. Larkin, A. C. Parnisell, Stockton; A. Stenburgh, J. Grinnell, J. Seiler, W. S. Osthaus, B. Gendle, J. Chas Simmonds, Irving T. Ballard, S. F.; D. M. Corman, Chicago; E. Everett, S. F.; S. J. Thompson, Ed P. Biehe, Denver; Miss Geo Dunn and daughter; F. P. Beaman and wife, Chicago; W. Sumner, Tomlinson, J. Beasacue, Pomona; Albert Ausper, San Bernardino; W. D. Wilson, Lincoln, Neb; Mrs. E. Givins and child; John H. F. Peck, San Francisco; Leo S. Bundy, New York; Miss Geo. S. F. Mrs. Saville and three children, M. H. Dryfoos, S. F.

UNITED STATES HOTEL.

J. T. Gordan, wife and child, Arizona; J. Flynn, Pete Werner, S. F.; J. Warren, San Diego; T. Banbury, Cucamonga; Lyman Ayer, Pomona; R. R. Harris and wife, Downey; T. D. Barker, H. E. Faso, San Jose; P. D. Gardiman, Mrs. Tyler, S. F.; C. A. Bilderraine, Pomona; J. D. Walker, Florence; C. F. Story, do; S. H. Russell, A. T.; J. F. Park, S. F.; C. Hilmer, Anaheim; J. V. Wachtel, Slope; O. G. Wood, H. F. Marquette, H. Grondinger, S. F.; T. D. Robertson and wife, Ill; H. Meyer, Knight's Ferry; W. F. Jenkinson and wife, J. Livingstone and daughter, W. Dwyer, Ontario; T. O. Bell, H. H. Phillips, Phila; Miss S. Lawrence, Tombstone; A. Fitzgerald, Watsonville; J. P. Lowe, St. Louis; I. Laake, Sac; J. Keifer, Miss Evey, Anaheim; S. L. Lyon, Salt Water, Dakota; T. H. Taylor, The Bar and wife, Canaan; Theo. Bradford, H. Livingston, S. F.; H. O. Wilcox and wife, Conn; J. W. Stately, S. F.; John Mason, Tucson; Brown Bradley, do; Geo. Breyer, Miss Chas Culish, San Jose; Mrs. Minna Buch and daughter, S. F.

PICO HOUSE.

E. A. Martin, Miss A. Martin, San Bernardino; E. J. Hutchinson, R. W. Green, Thos. M. Phillips, S. F.; F. M. Larkin, Cincinnati; Geo. Bacon and wife, Milwaukee; James Crawford, Mich; W. Hine, Washington; E. F. Payne, Tombstone; John R. Kennedy, Chas. Inman, San Bernardino; E. E. Maxwell, San Francisco; H. O. Montague, Colorado; T. W. Robertson and wife, England; H. W. Scott, wife, child and son, Portland; J. W. Orr, F. F. Frazier, S. F.; Mrs. M. B. Adams, Boston; Mrs. J. H. Reed New York; Wm. Weston, Cincinnati; J. V. Wachtel, Slope; O. G. Wood, H. F. Marquette, H. Grondinger, S. F.; T. D. Robertson and wife, Ill; H. Meyer, Knight's Ferry; W. F. Jenkinson and wife, J. Livingstone and daughter, W. Dwyer, Ontario; T. O. Bell, H. H. Phillips, Phila; Miss S. Lawrence, Tombstone; A. Fitzgerald, Watsonville; J. P. Lowe, St. Louis; I. Laake, Sac; J. Keifer, Miss Evey, Anaheim; S. L. Lyon, Salt Water, Dakota; T. H. Taylor, The Bar and wife, Canaan; Theo. Bradford, H. Livingston, S. F.; H. O. Wilcox and wife, Conn; J. W. Stately, S. F.; John Mason, Tucson; Brown Bradley, do; Geo. Breyer, Miss Chas Culish, San Jose; Mrs. Minna Buch and daughter, S. F.

Weather Report.

Observations taken by the U. S. Army Signal Service at 8.15 o'clock last night are as follows: Barometer, 30.07; Thermometer, 53; dew point, 49; wind, SW; 6 miles per hour; cloudy. Maximum thermometer, 65; minimum thermometer, 41.

MARRIED.

[Notice of marriages, births and deaths are published gratuitously in the TIMES, and friends are invited to send in for notice to this office such notices.]

KING-PARKER—In West Los Angeles, March 1st, at the residence of Mr. King, by Rev. P. H. Roberts, Mr. J. King, of Santa Ana, to Miss Ethel Parker, of this city.

BIRTH.

WILLING—In Los Angeles, March 1, to the wife of J. A. Willing, a daughter.

DIED.

BIXBY—In this city, March 2, of typhoid fever, Mary Hathaway, wife of Lewellyn Bixby, aged 53 years.

Funeral from the family residence on Saturday at 2 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice.

FENRLE—In Los Angeles, March 1, of consumption, George Fenrle, aged 25 years.

## BANKS.

## FARMERS' &amp; MERCHANTS

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SURPLUS & RESERVE FUND.....250,000

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SURPLUS.....50,000

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